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POETRY.

ANECDOTE OF DR. GOING.

The following lines embody a characteristic incident in the life of the late Rev. Dr. Going, and I think, to all who knew him, it will be deemed as bearing internal evidence of truth;

'Tis strange that Cupid from above,
Or from beneath—I don't know whence—
So oft should send a dose of love
Without one drop of common sense;
But 'tis among those general rules
That always meet us "sure as rates."
That men ne'er act so much like fools
As when they go to choose their mates.

Among the boys that went to Brown
Was Going, yet of tender age,
Who, always, till the sun went down,
Was hero, Christian, wit and sage;
And while a youth, no less than when
He up to stalwart manhood grew,
His friends would gather, now and then,
To ask him what they'd better do.

A classmate chanced—whose name was John—
To fall in love with sprighty Carrie,
And therefore he resolved upon
Some solemn promises to marry.

Now Carrie, all that knew her knew,
Was lively, virtuous, learned and pretty,
But still she was as big a shrew
As could be found in all the city.

He went to Going for advice,
As lovers sometimes do, 'tis said,
Not doubting he'd pronounced it wise,
And say he'd better go ahead.

But Going, honest, firm and true,
Could not in John's resolves concur;
He said, though good, she was a shrew,
And that he could not live with her.

But unconvinced, John still demurred,
And still he sipped the magic cup,
Until at last he found he'd erred,
And gave the little Syren up.

But soon the Spirit, sent from Heaven,
Descended in a shower of grace,
And hundreds bowed and were forgiven
And started on the heavenly race.

And Carrie, 'midst them, came to bow,
With new-born rapture brimming o'er;
And, lo! she seemed more lovely now
Than she had ever seemed before.

John saw the change, and, in his heart,
He thought 'twas now exceeding plain,
That though 'twas better then to part,
'Twas better now to meet again.

He went to Going with a brow
All wreathed in blandest smiles, and said,
"Do you see any reason now
Why I and Carrie should not wed?"

But Going said, "Perhaps I'm wrong
About your pretty, pious Carrie,
But my opinion's very strong
You'll find a fitter one to marry."

"But don't you think, my friend, that grace
Has thrilled her heart, and she's forgiven,
And that she'll run the Christian race,
And land among the blest in Heaven?"

"O yes; but hear me and forgive
The utterance of this solemn thought—
The grace of God, my friend, can live
Where you and I, alas, can not."

THETA.

—*Watchman and Reflector.*

Dramatic Preaching.

No thoughtful man can doubt that a dogmatic style prevails too extensively in the pulpit. Preaching ought, first of all, to win attention and interest hearers, and the best sermons, if they fail in this respect, are of little value. There ought to be more of dramatic preaching, such as described in the following sketch of a collier's sermon:

Brethren, I am now going to show you how a poor sinner is saved by *grace*, and I am sure many of you have been so saved. Let us take the case of a miserable man in the pains of conviction. He is, we will suppose, down at the bottom of the pit of despair. Now let us ask him how he got there, and how he means to get up. Then leaning over the pulpit to the right hand, the preacher curved and hollowed his hand and applying his mouth to it, spoke aloud this imaginary colloquy, as if from the surface down through the pit-shaft, after the manner of the "braksman" at the colliery;

"Hollo! hollo! who's down there?

"O, minister, a poor sinner; a miserable sinner."

"How came you there, my poor brother? how came you there?"

"My load of sin weighed me down, and I fell deeper and deeper."

"O wretched man that you are; how do you mean to get up?"

"I never shall get up. I am lost! lost forever! I've been trying ever so long to climb up by the side of the shaft, but I cannot; I fall down again."

"You cannot succeed of yourself. I'll send you down the *rope of faith*. Lay hold of that, and you will be got out. Cling to it; *Cling to it*; here it is!" (imitating the paying out of a rope.) "Now, then, it must be down to you. Lay hold 'of the only hope set before you.' Have you got hold now?"

"I'm so feeble I can hardly grasp it; but I *think* I have got a good grip now."

"Then pull-a-hoy, lads! Let us help this poor sinner up. O, how heavy he is. Why, what have you got besides yourself hanging on to the rope?"

"Only a few good works of my own."

"*Good works! good works!* Throw them down. Down with them, or they'll break the rope."

"Well, if I must, I must: but sure they would do me some good."

The preacher continued to represent the lifting, but suddenly stopped, as if his aims had received a check, exclaiming to the imaginary ascendent,—

"Why, what is the matter *now*? What are you struggling with?"

"Doubts and fears, sir. I am afraid I cannot hold on."

"Lay firmer hold of the rope. Doubts and fears are nothing to strong faith. But what now? Trembling again? What is it now?"

"A great fight of a fflictions, master; and I cannot hold on."

"Hold on, sinner, hold on; you'll come out of the afflictions. But what is this? Shaking again? What can be the matter now?

"Strong temptations, master. O, I shall fall! I'm falling! O, help me! O, help me!"

"So we will. But what dreadful thing has happened now? The weight is *three* times as great. What a horrible noise. What have you got there?"

"It's the devil himself has gripped me. He is gripping me hard. O, minister! I'm lost! I'm lost!"

Hereupon the excitement in the congregation became intense. Women wept, men rose up, and the minister seizing his opportunity, continued,—

"Now, lads, let us all *pray* and pull together. This poor sinner is in great danger. But Satan cannot long buffet him. The great Captain is with us, and He is too strong for demon or devil!"

Straining at and lifting the imaginary load, the preacher greatly excited himself, as well as his hearers. Finally he appeared to bring the imperilled and hard-gripped penitent to the surface. Then, with great effect, he uttered the words, "Lads, he's safe! he is saved! There he is! The *rope of faith* never broke yet, and I knew it wouldn't break now."

Chronology of Printing.

Previous to the year 1000, printing from wooden blocks was said to be known and practiced in China—but the most authentic information as to the fact, of which we have record, is given below, and may be verified:

1440. John Genesteish, surnamed Gutenburg, first prints in an alphabetical language, from wooden blocks, which served only for the work printed.

1440. John Meydenbuch joins his wealth to the skill of Gutenberg and John Faustus, who were the first printers. About this time Faustus invents movable types of metal, receiving assistance from his son-in-law, Peter Schoeffer, who devised the punchеons, matrices and moulds for casting them.

1462. Faustus prints the Vulgate Bible, in two volumes, which he sold at first sight as high as five hundred crowns per copy. Having reduced the price to thirty crowns, he was seriously adjudged to be in league with the devil, and would have been sacrificed for witchcraft, had he not explained his art.

1446. Faustus prints *Cicero de Officiis*, and soon after dies.

1473. Greek first printed.

1474. First printing in England.

1475. First Almanac printed.

1495. Wilkin de Worde prints the first book on paper manufactured in England.

1499. First work of geographical nature printed in Spain.

1501. Inquisition at Venice to check the diffusion of knowledge by the press.

1522. Hebrew printed in Germany.

1532. Gazetteers first published in Venice, and so called from a coin for which they were sold, Gazetta.

1537. The first book on longitude written by Nonius and printed in Portugal.

1554. The first alphabet for the deaf and dumb, with instructions, printed in Spain.

1571. Printers in Paris, as a mark of respect, authorized to wear swords.

1576 Book of Diophantine Algebra first printed.

1688. "English Mercuria," a pamphlet printed; the first attempt at periodical literature.

1603. First Decimal Arithmetic printed in Flanders.

1612. King James, the present version of the Bible, which had been seven years in the hands of the translators, printed.

1615. Napier's Logarithms printed.

1639. Printing at Cambridge, Mass., being the first attempt within the present limits of the United States.

1649. The first code of Pension Laws printed.

1661. "The Public Intelligencer," by Sir Robert L'Estradge, the first newspaper published in England, of which a few numbers are still extant.

1665. First Treatise on Insurance printed.

1705. The "Boston News Letter," the first paper within the limits of the United States, printed by John Campbell, a Scotchman,

1706. Dr. Franklin, the American printer, philosopher and statesman, born in Boston.

1709. American "Weekly Mercury," the first paper in Philadelphia, printed.

1728. The "New York Gazette," the first paper in that State, printed and published in June.

1729. "Maryland Gazette printed."

1731. Printing in South Caralina.

1732. First printing on paper made within the limits of the United States

1737. First printing, in Georgia.

1755. Johnson's Dictionary printed in England.

1772. Printing in Louisiana.

1776. Fifty-six newspapers printed in the United States.

1797. First printing in Mississippi.

1799. The "Mississippi Gazette" printed in Natchez.

1814. Printing in Alabama.

1828. Nine hundred newspapers printed in the United Sates.

1836. Thirteen hundred newspapers in the United States and Territories and District of Columbia. From that time to the present, the increase of newspapers and books printed has scarcely a limit.

Charley White.

"Mother, can I go out with Charley White a little while?" said a boy about fourteen years of age.

"Where are you going?" asked his mother.

"He wants me to go out with him in his father's boat. He says he is going to have some money, and he is going to have a treat, and I want to go."

"No, my boy. I would not let you go in the boat with him on any account. Suppose the boat should tip over?"

"I can swim," replied the boy.

"No, I will not let you go.

"I am going any way," said Frank.

So off he started down the road to the lake, where he was to meet his comrade.

"Hollo, Frank! What made you so long?"

"I had to go on an errand for my mother; but I don't want to go on the water," replied Frank.

"Now you can't back out; you have got me down here, and so you have got to go, so get in the boat."

The boys got in and pushed off.

"Where shall we go?" asked Frank.

"Go up the lake by the mill, and go into Mr. Brown's orchard, and get some cherries, and then we will go down to the city and have a good treat."

The boys heaved the boat up the river, and commenced rowing.

"By George!" exclaimed Frank, "we're going to have a storm. If we are going down to the city, we had better hurry up."

The boys went rapidly up the river, thinking what a nice time they were to have going.

"We are near up there, ain't we?" said Frank.

"We will get there within five minutes."

The boys rowed rapidly up the stream, when Frank cried out, "Charley! Charley! we will be dashed to pieces by the water-wheel! Back water, quick." The boys were within a few feet of the great wheel!

"Catch hold of that stick, Charley. Quick—it is our only chance."

Charley made a grasp at the stick, and in doing so lost his balance, and went head first, into the water.

"Help!" help!' cried Frank.

Frank was trying to rescue his comrad; but all in vain. Just then the miller heard their cries and threw over a rope, which Charley grasped.

The miller succeedsd in rescuing Charley, while Frank caught hold or a piece of wood projecting out from the mill. It took all Frank strength to keep hold with his hands. The miller let down the rope to him, and he caught hold, and in that manner they were saved.

"Oh! I am so glad we are saved!" exclaimed Frank.

"So am I," replied Charley.

By this time the boat was drawn in by the wheel, and was dashed to pieces.

"What shall we do?" asked Charley.

"You had better go home and tell your mothers," replied the miller.

"No, I don't want my mother to know anything about it," replied Frank.

"How can we help it?" asked Charley. "My clothes are all wet, and we will get found out any way. So I might as well tell her."

"That is so; we had better go home and tell them."

The boys thanked the miller for what he had done for them, and went home and told their mothers about it, and promised them that they would never attempt it again. So whoever reads this will find out that what their mothers tell them is the best advice.

President Johnson, as a candidate for the Presidency, has received the indorsement of two rebel clubs in Louisiana and a rebel paper in Georgia.

John Brown's Grave.

A correspondent of the *Times*, having visited the grave of John Brown, at North Elba, gives a minute description thereof and of the surrounding country.

"The lot in which John Brown is buried lies east of the house in which he formerly lived, and is separated from it by a space of only two or three rods. The fence on each side is three rods in length, five boards high, rough and unpainted. In the middle of the lot there is a rock of granite, occupying a space upon the ground nearly square, and almost perpendicular upon all sides. The north side is ten feet high, the opposite four, and the circumference five rods. Across the top, from the west to the east (standing on the south side), you will read:

JOHN BROWN.
1859.

Each letter and figure is one foot high and nearly one wide, and cut one inch into the rock. Mr. Alexis Hinckley, the present owner and occupant of the house—a gentlemanly and well-informed young man—said to me: 'This work was done by a stone-cutter, J. A. Daniels. He was sent here for that purpose by Wendell Phillips and Francis Lee. It took him three days and a half to accomplish it. John Brown is buried with his feet to this rock, with his head to the west, in a line with the two opposite corners of the lot and the house. The headstone is of course granite, three feet eight inches high, twenty-two inches wide, and two inches thick. It was procured and lettered a long time ago in Connecticut for the grave of Capt. John Brown, but, as it did not suit his children, it was never erected there, but remained till his son (who lies here) brought it to Westport, and there left it. When Mrs. Brown was with her husband in the Virginia prison, as I understand, he expressed a wish to be buried near his house in North Elba, and have this stone placed at his head. Although other inscriptions are upon it, still, only *one* body lies here.

"Here and thus—as I have described—lies the body of one who, by a single daring deed, shook the world as with the suddeness of a thunderbolt. And here my thoughts naturally ran upon the great events that this one deed hastened, modified, or produced. I have never been a follower of John Brown; but, standing by his grave, and looking off and around, I can truly say how wonderful, in this high region, is the rock that I have described! To appearance, for seven miles each way from this rock, the earth is comparatively level, though undulating and beautifully diversified by lakes, streams, and groves. All around beyond this distance the earth rises into hundreds of mountains and high hills, rearing their summits into the heavens and forming an entire circle. Among them you find Mount Marcy—the highest in the state—also Mount McIntyre, Mount McMartin, Whiteface, and others, ranking in the first class. It does appear as though God had prepared this spot for some specific object. Was this rock placed here purposely as a monument for the one who alone and silently lies at its base? Was this mountain chain designedly reared to wall this spot around?"

A Grateful Tiger.

A caged tiger had a live dog thrown to it one day for its dinner. Not being very hungry, the usually fierce creature did not touch the trembling little victim. This quietness gave the dog courage, and he began to lick the tiger's eyes which were sore. This act seemed pleasant to the wild beast, and the dog continued to do it from day to day, till the eyes of the savage animal got well. The tiger from that time took his tinny, fourlegged doctor under his patronage, looked upon him kindly, and allowed him to eat what he chose of the food thrown into his den. Henceforth they lived like bosom friends.

Thus, you see, even a fierce tiger can be grateful for a little favor. How much more, then, should children learn to be grateful to their friends for the great favors they have received? When I see boys and girls unkind and insulting to their parents, who have done and suffered so much for them, I tell them the story of the tiger and the dog, and say:—"Children, don't be less grateful to your kind parents than the tiger was to the little dog."

A bashful young man escorted an equaally bashful young lady. As they approached the dwelling of the damsel, she said entreatingly, "Jehiel, don't tell anybody you beaued me home." "Sary," said he emphatically, "don't you mind. I am as much ashamed of it as you are."

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Ben. Wade says: I can say of our President, in the language of holy writ, (see Psalms) "May his days be few, and may another take his office." [Cheers.] I mean, of course, his official days.

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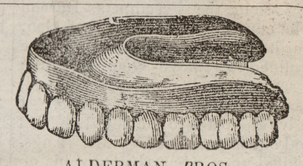

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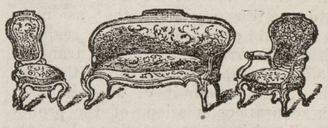

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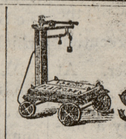

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SALUTATORY.

In presenting our first number to the public it is not all that we could wish. Improvement will be the order of the day, both as to mechanical execution and subject matter of the paper. At present we shall print the paper on a hand press, but at as early a moment as practicable we intend to enlarge to an eight column sheet and print on a Taylor or Hoe cylinder press. We now have two presses running by steam. A Gordon card and bill head press, and a Hoe press, which prints a medium sheet. As to printing material, we have the latest styles of metal and wood type, borders &c. Our printing house from top to bottom, two stories, is literally filled with printing material. Our engine is a "portable" one, four horse power, five do. boiler. It is pronounced by good judges a superior one. We propose a bindery if our business shall increase to warrant it. We have full faith that it will. In the mean time we have made arrangements to execute binding and ruling of every description. We propose to do work at satisfactory rates, and to turn out work that neither our patrons or ourselves shall be ashamed of. We invite the public to try us. The *Free Press* in a recent number said truthfully that "politics will not sustain a paper." It took the right ground. "Our political friends need not expect us to subserve our advertising and job departments to partisan purposes. They will be disappointed if they do." Our political opinions are our own property. We have a right in this country to entertain and promulgate them "with out let or hindrance." We shall seek to do this in a courteous manner. Personalities, only so far as absolutely necessary to promote public good, will be stringently avoided.

The "COMMERCIAL" will still adhere to the fundamental principle which gave rise to the Republican party. *Justice* towards and *liberty* for all men. *Equal rights* for *all*, will be our rule of action. When the "reconstruction" question is settled, which just now is the absorbing one and settled as we trust so as best to subserve the hundreds of millions that are to occupy this vast country, we shall array ourselves for or against other momentous questions, financial and otherwise, which will arise. Where we shall stand is altogether uncertain. The mission of the Republican party will be ended with reconstruction. New parties will spring up to meet the necessities of the hour. It will suffice to say that we hope ever to stand on the right side.

PATTISON AND GRAHAM.

THE DUTY OF THE HOUR.

The war began when the Republican party assumed the reins of government.

It was sustained by that party, as copperheads (all democrats are not copperheads) north and rebels south truly alleged, and the triumphant close of the conflict was due to that support.

When the war ceased the Republican party, representing as it did the loyalty of the country, found upon its hands the difficult and dangerous task of reconstruction. This responsibility has not been shifted. As a party, it should be held responsible and justly, for any mishap in the restoration of the Republic to its normal condition.

Such being the manifest destiny of the party, let us boldly meet it. All other questions are insignificant compared to this, until it be settled. Questions of temperance, a tariff, internal improvements, must for the present be held in abeyance. The country must have peace!

Peace will come only after every state is represented in Congress and has a Republican form of Government. Every citizen black and white must be made equal before the law. We must not, will not, stop at anything short of this. The American people are quick to forgive, slow to anger; patient, long suffering and kind. Else this point would have been reached and passed long since.

But the enemies of political equality and restoration must remember that there is a point where forbearance ceases to be a virtue. This question of reconstruction must be settled soon, for further delay is dangerous. Let Republicans stand firm. Our enemies are everywhere trying to distract us by forcing side issues upon us. In this attempt we must defeat them. After the Republic is at rest, then, and not before, will it be wisdom to agitate reforms in temperance, the observance of the Sabbath and other matters about which good men are solicitous.

When the nation is anchored upon the immovable foundations of justice, the corner stone of which is political equality, then the Republican party can and will combat these lesser evils, before whose onslaught they will

"Fold their tents like the Arab,
And as silently steal away."

CURRENT EVENTS.

In our confusion the file of daily's from which we make up our news was displaced and hence the omission.

Speech by Sen. Sherman.

We have an earnest and abiding faith in the National Banks. Read this speech and be convinced of their soundness and utility.

THE NATIONAL BANKS.

"'National credit is our only reliance in times of war or peril. Debts cannot be enforced against a nation by courts of law, and rest only upon honor and faith. We cannot afford to tarnish these. All that may be done consistently with these, to lighten our burdens, will be done by the Union party; but the malignant whisperings of copperheads, who talk about debt and taxes, are intended only to prepare you for repudiation. Now, there is a good deal said about our national banking system. As this is a creation of Congress, the right to change or modify it is expressly reserved. Their right to issue paper money rests only upon the consent of Congress, and may be withdrawn at any time. Let us see how this system stands.

"To secure the privilege of issuing notes the banks must deposit with the Treasurer of the United States government bonds exceeding by ten per cent. the amount of their circulation, thus furnishing a stable market for our bonds. They must redeem their notes at their counters and at centres of redemption, thus furnishing a convertible currency. They must keep on hand in United States money or greenbacks about twenty-five per cent. of their circulation as deposits. They must pay heavy taxes to the United States, amounting, last year, to $8,069,938, and to the states, amounting to over six millions more. All their interests are interlaced with the credit of the national government. They absorbed and took the place of the state banking system, which was utterly destructive to the national credit during war, which furnished a currency without security, and which the United States could neither receive or pay out. They are convenient agencies in collecting the revenue and promoting exchanges among our people.

"If these reasons are not sufficient to sustain the system, then it will fall, and swarms of state banks will spring up again. By adopting this system we absorbed or drew out of existence state banks whose aggregate circulation was $180,000,000, which paid us no taxes, rendered us no facilities and preserved no financial credit. We made a basis which yields us now $8,000,008 in taxes, holds $400,000,004 of our bonds and near $200,000,002 of our bonds and near $300,000,002 of our notes without interest. It is often asked, why not issue $30,0000,000 greenbacks and retain the bank notes? Won't we save interest by this? We certainly can do so, but we lose the market for a large amount of our bonds. We must then provide for the $200,000,000 of our legal tenders now securely retained from circulation in the vaults of the banks, and we kill the goose that yields us $8,000,000 in taxes.

"My conviction is that the national banking system works well and should not be tampered with, except to secure a fairer opportunity among the states to strengthen the security enjoined by circulation, and in time to make a national centre of redemption or clearing house. I never was much of a bank man, but while such agencies are demanded, as they are in all new countries when capital is scarce, I believe the present system is far better than we have ever had, and far better than for the United States government to assume directly the banking operations of the people."

PROGRESS OF THE PACIFIC RAILROAD.—The railroad line between the Missouri River and the Pacific Ocean grows apace from both ends, and gives promise of an earlier completion than the most sanguine of its projectors had anticipated. The Eastern forks are rapidly pushing their way to the outlying hills of the Rocky Mountain chain and late advices from the Pacfic coast represent the main stem line as being at the summit of the Sierra Nevada, with only a thin wall of granite to be cleared away, when the locomotive can pass regularly and rapidly from the waters of the Pacific to the great Salt Lake Basin. This is an important achievement, since it disposes of the most considerable impediment on the Western half of the route. To hew and blast the road-bed over this 150 miles of mountain section is represented to be a greater undertaking than to prepare for the rails the 650 miles which lie east of it. By the use of the most approved engineering resources, a liberal command of cheap and efficient Chinese laborers, together with a large expenditure of gunpowder and nitro-glycerine, the work has been accomplished; and it now seems probable that the year 1870 may witness the completion of the line from New York to San Francisco,—*N. Y. Tribune.*

LET us tell the President a homely story. Years ago in Westchester County there lived a noted bull. He was a conservative animal. He believed in the traditions of the fathers, and had risen from an humble station to be a bull of strength and temper, fit for the proudest arena of Spain. His life was fixed. He detested Radicalism. He swung around his circle from day to day, like a wise and resolute bull, calmly contemplating the wagon and the oxcart, the lumbering stage and the old family carriage. By-and-by a railroad was laid, and one morning a locomotive rushed screechingly along. The bull was alarmed. He had never heard of such a thing. It was unconstitutional. It was contrary to the teachings of the fathers. The Washington of bulls had never mentioned it, and the Jefferson of bulls he felt certain would have condemned it had he lived. There never was a bull so agitated, so vexed, so maddened, so alarmed. He did not care about himself. He would willingly pour himself out as a libation for the good of his race, but this Radical innovation he could not endure. So he bellowed, and kicked, and pranced, but all was as unavailing as so many vetoes. One day he escaped from his pen. He heard the whistle. Now was his opportunity. He would put his foot down and stop the calamity. The train came thundering along, and placing himself in the middle of the track, he rushed upon it——.

—We believe locomotives still run in Westchester County.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

There are 2,000 colored people at Williamsville, Cass county, most of whom were slaves who escaped from the South before the rebellion. They have good farms, three churches, good schools, and contributed their full quota of soldiers to put down the rebellion. If they could fight, why should they not have the power to vote?

Mr. John M. Langston, the well-known colored lawyer, a man of fine ability, character and manners, was recently invited by President Johnson to a personal interview for the purpose of talking about the Freedmen's Bureau and the contemplated removal of Gen. Howard. Mr. Johnson said: "I have determined to remove Gen. Howard; he is running his bureau as a political, partisan, and sectarian machine. I will give the place to a colored man, if a good one is presented." Mr. Langston called upon Gen. Grant, at his office in the War Department, and stated to him the substance of his interview with the President, and then asked Gen. Grant's opinion as to the propriety of his accepting the office. The latter replied that he thought, in view of the circumstances, it was unadvisable for him, in every respect, to accept the office of Commissioner. Gen. Grant further said that he was fully satisfied that Gen. Howard had done his best, and that he had committed no act which would not bear rigid scrutiny; but if he [Gen. Grant] were to remain as Secretary of War, and Mr. Langston should be appointed to the position, he would aid him to the extent of his ability. Mr. Langston said to Gen. Grant: "I now ask you that you will do everything that you can to keep Gen. Howard at the head of the Bureau, for the good of my people and for the friendship I have for him. Further, sir, I am fully satisfied that Gen. Howard has administrated the affairs of that bureau in the most conscientious manner, and looking only to the good of the colored people and the Government. I cannot, therefore, consent to take this position; and, further, I desire to say that I will not accept it, believing it to be offered to effect the removal of Gen. Howard and to embarras the interests of my race."

PROFITS OF ADVERTISING. A dealer who advertised with us two years since to the amount of fifty dollars, told us a few days since that as near as he could calculate he had realized *eighteen hundred dollars* from the transaction. Perhaps it is not often that the circumstances admit of anything like an accurate calculation of the profits of advertising, yet experience has demonstrated beyond question that they are very large—*Lewiston Journal.*

"The Political Manual."

An agent is now in our city, cavassing for a non-partisan work by this title which we commend to the attention of all, and especially of those young men who wish to possess themselves of a valuable store of information, which they can use in coming campaigns. The presidential campaign approaching, will draw largely upon the memorable events of the past few years, and none but one who is well stocked with facts and documents, will be able to respond to its requirements. Besides its value in this respect, the work is a splendid addition to a private library, being of good size and handsomely illustrated. Now is the time to prepare for future discussions, before time has made the materials of our recent history scarce and inaccessible. Subscribe by all means.—*Sentinel.*

Spare Moments.

A lean awkward boy came one morning to door of the principal of a celebrated school and asked to see him. The servant eyed his mean clothes, and thinking he looked more like a beggar than anything else, told him to go around to the kitchen. The boy did as he was bidden, and soon appeared at the back door.

"You want a breakfast more like," said the servant girl, "and I can give you that without troubling him."

"Thank you," said the boy, "I should have no objection to a bit of bread; but I should like to see Mr.—— if he can see me."

"Some old cloths, may be, you want," remarked the servant, again eyeing the boy's patched trowsers. "I guess he has none to spare; he gives away a sight; and without minding the boy's request, she was away about her work.

"Can I see Mr.— ?" again asked the boy, after finishing his bread and butter.

"Well, he's in the libary; if he must be disturbed, he must; but he does like to be alone sometimes," said the girl, in a peevish tone. She seemed to think it every folish to admit such an ill-looking fellow into her master's presence; however, she wiped her hands, and babe him follow. Opening the library door, she said:

"Here ie somebody, sir, who is dreadful anxious to see you, and so I let him in."

I don't know how the boy introduced himself, or how he opened business but I know that after talking a while the principial put aside the volume which he was studying and took up some Greek books and began to examine the new-comer. The examination lasted some time. Every question which the principial asked, the boy answered as readily as could be.

"Upon my word," exclaimed the principal, "you certainly do well," looking at the boy from head to foot over his spectacles. Why, my boy, where did you pick up so much?"

"*In my spare moments,*" answered the boy.

Here was a poor, hard-working boy, with but few opportunities for schooling, yet, almost fitted for college, by simply improving his *spare moments*: Truly, are not spare moments the "gold-dust of time?" How precious they should be! What account can you show for them? Look and see. This boy can tell you how very much can be laid up by improving them; and there are many, *many* other boys, I am afraid in jail, in the house of correction, in the forecastle of a whale-ship, in the tippling-shop, who if you should ask them where they began their sinful course, might answer, "In my spare *moments.*"

"In my spare moments I gambled for marbles."

"In my spare moments I began smoke and drink. It was in my spare moments that I began to steal chestnuts from the old woman's stand. It was in my spare moments that I gathered wicked associates."

Oh, be very careful how you spend your spare moments! Temptation always haunt you in small seasons like these' when your are not busy; he gets into your hearts, if he posible can in just such gaps. There he hides himself, planning all sorts of mischief. Take care of your spare moments.—*Mrs. C. Knight.*

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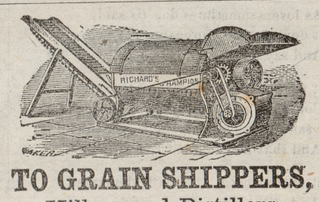

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LOCAL MATTERS

Ypsilanti Mail Arrangements.

Mail going East, closes 4:10 P. M.
do do West, do 8 P. M.
Saline, Daily Mail, closes at 9 A. M.
Lake Ridge, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, closes 8 A. M.
Belleville, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; closes 11:45 A. M.
Monroe, *via.* Paint Creek and Oakville, Thursdays, closes 9 A. M.
Office hours from 7½ A. M., to 8 P. M., except Sundays.

Removed to Ypsilanti.

Mr. Graham, well known in this city as a job printer, has associated himself with the Ypsilanti COMMERCIAL, and removed his new job office to that city. Ypsilanti has the name of being an enterprising town and one that appreciates printer's ink. The citizens of that town could not have a more deserving and energetic printer than Mr. Graham, and we heartily recommend him to the business men of that place.—*Detroit Daily Union.*

REMOVED.—Mr William Graham, an excellent printer, and for many years a resident of this city, has just removed to Ypsilanti, where he has become associated with Mr. C. R. Pattison, in the publication of the *Commercial.* The latter gentleman could not have secured a better partner, and we trust the new firm may have an abundantly successful career.—*Detroit Tribune.*

Star Contributions

Will be noticed. The writer who prefers to remain unknown to fame, coveting the distinction of Junius, will from time to time enlighten the readers of the COMMERCIAL.

Not yet out of the Woods.

We are hard at work. We hope Monday to be ready for work. The present week has been one of confusion. Our paper is necessarily late. We have had no time to devote to it. Our next issue we hope to get matters in to shape. We thank those who have been waiting for job work for their kind indulgence. Bring on your work next week and we will fill the bill.

Our Schools

Have opened up auspiciously. A large attendance from abroad. Prof. Payne is at his post as principal of the Union. Prof. Mayhew is also hard at word in the Normal. Prof. Whitney, favorably known for years in connection with the State Teachers' Journal, has been appointed to a professorship in the Normal. Prof. Carey is expected to assume his old position the 1st of Jan.

Peak Family.

We need only to announce this well known troupe in Ypsilanti to insure a full house. They will be at Hewitt Hall Monday and Tuesday evenings next. See advertisement.

Ypsilanti Stock Fair.

The fair will be held upon the driving park next week, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. $2500, are offered in premiums. We trust that it will be pleasant weather. It will be a new feature. The men having the charge are energetic, experienced managers and will do everything in their power to make it a complete success. The farmers in eastern Washtenaw and western Wayne will no doubt second their efforts.

Thanks

Are due our old friend, Major Gorton, of Salem, for some nice apples, which he presented to us, this week. Mr. Gorton has been a subscriber of the COMMERCIAL from the first number. He has a splendid farm. He and his neighbors are beginning to learn that Ypsilanti is a first class market, and goods can be bought at as low a figure, as any where in the State.

Burglary

Mr. S. A. Durand, of the firm of Stebbins and Durand, received an unceremonious visit last Monday night about 12 o'clock. The visitor belongs to a class that pays but little attention to *meum et tuum.*

Fortunately Mr. Durand was wakeful, and gave a warm reception. Poor pussy came near being charged with the racket transpiring, but the palpable walk on the floor, as of a stealthy foe, soon undeceived him, and he sprang from the bed. A light not being convenient at hand, he grasped in the dark. His hands came in contact with a burly person. He seized him, not very courteously inquiring his mission. Not receiving any response he summarily ejected the visitor from the room, following him he made a rapid exit by the way he entered, an open window. No doubt the main intent of the visit was to secure a supposed treasure in Mr. Durand's pantaloon's pocket. Mr. D. says he would have found just 30 cts. Our business men are too wise to lumber their pockets with change at night.

A Scene.

The exhibitions in the court room are often deplorable. Friday and Saturday last, one of these sad events came off before Justice Brinkerhoff. A farmer in Augusta was charged with assault and battery with intent to commit rape. The complainant is a woman upwards of 40, mother-in-law of the son of the accused. It seems some trouble had occurred in reference to the lease of a farm. The woman, Mrs. Taylor, stood the examination well for some time but finally became excited, denounced the defendant's council and even went so far as to give her own council a good shaking. Ludicrous, but sad. The testimony of her daughter and son-in-law taken separately completely set her afloat. The accused was triumphantly discharged. Facts were disclosed that indicated an attempt to extort money.

☞ A highly imaginative trans-Atlantic geographer has lately informed the world that America is, or shortly will be, a "country bounded on the north by the Arctic circle, on the south by eternity, on the east by the rising sun, and on the west by the day of judgment."

Alderman Bros.

Have removed their Dentistry office over Cornwell & Hemphill's Bank, corner of Congress and Huron Streets.

Our Cotemporary

Speaking of the death of Edward Green says: "We greatly fear a deed of blood has been done among us. Right neighbor! and many similar deeds are being enacted every day "among us." For proof of the assertion look at the reeling wretches that daily are vomited forth from the very places that for years have been murdering Green.

It would have been better for Green and his family, if he must be murdered, had he fallen at once under the murderous blow, rather than that rumsellers should have been engaged for years in accomplishing the same purpose.

Let us have no more slow murderers here by underground operators!

Our Common Council

Passed an ordinance forbidding public bathing within the city limits, and instructed the Marshall to enforce the law. They also passed another, ordering all liquor shops to be closed after ten o'clock at night and upon the Sabbath. Will they not instruct the Marshall to enforce *this* ordinance also?

A Veteran Missionary.

Rev. Eugenio Kincaid, D. D., who has visited Burmah three times as missionary of the Am. Bap. Miss. Union, spending more than thirty years in that heathen country preached at the Baptist Church last Sabbath morning and evening. The Dr. gave some incidents in his missionary history, full of thrilling and romantic interest which have gained for him the title of the hero missionary by which he is popularly known.

Dr. Cox

Was entitled to the honor of having the first bills printed by steam in Ypsilanti. Job work is pressing us. But bring it along. First come, first served.

Probate Notices.

Our friends having business at the Probate Office should remember that it is their right to direct in which paper the advertising shall be done. Be careful to leave special directions that it be sent to the *Commercial.*

A fine assortment of Stationery, French Fancy Paper, Pens and Inks, &c., at
2w187 DR. COX'S.

HOPE.—The Scripture saith, that "Hope is an anchor to the soul, both sure and steadfast." It is the unfortunate's only comfort in adversity, and the star of promise which urges forward the struggling poor man. What is it that gives contentment to that mother who sees her darling child attacked by the ghost of the deadly croup or suffering from the effects of a consuming cough or violent cold? What is it that wreathes in smiles the lips of that patient consumptive who though she knows she cannot live, yet murmurs her silent and thankful prayer for ease and relief? What is it that has become a nation's hope from North to South, from East to West? Comes but one joyful reponse—Give us Coe's Cough Balsam.

A STIMULATING TONIC—LIFE BITTERS.—Good health is a Blessing. The way to enjoy such is to take a wine glass full of Strickland's Life Bitters two or three times a day. They create a good appetite; they strengthen the stomach; they cure habitual Constipation, Nervousness and Headache, they make the old feel young. If you wish long life and good health, use Strickland's Life Bitters. For sale in bottles by Druggists, and by the drink at all saloons and groceries. 167

TRY IT ONCE.—The manufacturers of the Best Chemical Saleratus, Messrs. D. B. De Land & Co., show their readiness to have the merits, of the article tested, for they authorize all who sell it at retail to refund the money when by trial it does not prove to be as recommended. That is fair and shows their confidence in the article. It is better than Soda.

DIED.

On the 25th inst. in the township of Superior, Charlotte, daughter of Ira and Charlotte F. Crippen, aged one year.

In Canton Wayne Co. on the 24th inst, son of Matthias Francisco, aged one year.

MARRIED.

In this city on the 1st inst. by H. H. Brinkerhoff Esq., Mr. Jacob Goff of Grand Havens, to Mrs. L. I. Aber of Ypsilanti.

PRICE CURRENT

YPSILANTI, MICHIGAN.

Wheat,	2.75
Corn	50
Oats new,	55
Butter	30
Eggs	14
Apples, per barrel,	2 50
Beans	2 12½
Cheese	14
Potatoes	60
Lard	15
Hay	10,00
Wool	43
Barley, per cwt.	2.50
Wheat Straw, per ton,	6.00
Rye do do	10.00

MRS. PARTINGTON INSULTED.—The White Mountains of New Hampshire are evidently a great institution—very high, heavy frosts, beautiful view, four dollar dinners. But the practical eye of a certain renowned Drake saw those smoothed faced rocks, thereupon adorned and variegated the bridle path to the Tip-top House with his familiar S. T.—160—X. PLANTATION BITTERS. This raised the ire of the Mrs. Partingtons composing the Legislature of the Granite State, who got their wise heads together, outlawed Dr. Drake, and make it a penal offence to ply the artistic brush on their beloved hills. Verily, the fine arts are at discount in New Hampshire. Query.—Did Drake pay them for this splendid advertisement?

MAGNOLIA WATER.—A delightful toilet article—superior to Cologne and at half the price. 186 2-w

Shattered constitutions restored by Helmbold's Extract Buchu.

FAIRBANS' SCALES,—Advertised in another column of our paper, were awarded the highest premium, a Silver Medal, at the great "Paris Exposition," being designated Standard Scales in the award. This speaks well for American manufactures, as other scales were on exhibition from this country and from England, France. Germany, Russia, Austria, Prussia and Switzerland.

ITCH! ITCH!! ITCH!!!

SCRATCH! SCRATCH!! SCRATCH!!!

In from 10 to 48 hours

Wheaton's Ointment	cures	The Itch.
Wheaton's Ointment	cures	Salt Rheum.
Wheaton's Ointment	cures	Tetter.
Wheaton's Ointment	cures	Barbers' Itch.
Wheaton's Ointment	cures	Old Sores.
Wheaton's Ointment	cures	Every kind

Of Humor like Magic.

Price, 50 cents a box; by mail, 60 cents. Address WEEKS & POSTER, No. 170 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.
For sale by all Druggists. 1y187.

Black Alpaca, Col. Alpaca, Empress Cloths and a full stock of Dress Goods for the fall trades, at Post's Clothing Store,

Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } SS.
COUNTY OF WASHTENAW,
The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Lyman Pettibone, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date, are allowed, by order of this Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late dwelling house of said deceased, in said County on Saturday, the fifth day of October, and on Tuesday, the thirty-first day of December, next, at one o'clock P. M., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.
Dated, July 1st, A. D. 1867. 182 4w
IRA CRIPPEN, TRUMAN B. GOODSPEED, } Commissioners.

A Good Education.

In this age of improvement and progressive knowledge, every man or woman who expect to *do* anything or *be* anybody in the world, should have a useful, practical education.

Nowhere are better facilities offered for this purpose than in the beautiful city of Ann Arbor, which, from its superior educational advantages, is justly termed the Athens of the Great West. Prominent among these is the ANN ARBOR BUSINESS COLLEGE, and TELEGRAPHIC INSTITUTE.

The thorough, practical culture here imported, and the spirit of wide-awake enterprise which it rouses, stamps the student as a thorough-going, progressive, useful member of society, in whatever work of life he may be called to act.

For Circular address the President,
183-4w A. C. PARSONS, A. M.
Ann Arbor, Mich.

WHAT EVERY ONE WANTS.

A good, reliable medicine that will be on hand when required, and never fails when called on. That is now to be obtained in Dr. Tobias' Celebrated Venetian Liniment. Many thousands call it the Wonder of the Age, as it does all that is represented and more. It cure Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Spasms Vomiting, Croup, and Sea sickness as surely as it is used, and is perfectly innocent to take internally, even in double the quantity named in the direction; and as an external remedy for Chronic Rheumatism, Cuts, Bruises Old Sores, Mumps, Toothache, Headache, Sore Throat, Sprains, Insect Stings, Pain in the Back, Chest and Limbs, thousands have testified to, and their certificates can be seen by any one at the Doctor's Depot, 56 Cortlaandt Street, New York. Hundreds of physcians use it in their practice. It has been introdued since 1847, and hundreds who now have it in their houses say they would not be without it even if it was $10 per bottle. Every drop is mixed by Dr, Tobias himself, and can be depended on. Only 50 cents and $1 per Bottle. Drugguist Depot, 56 Cortlandt St., N. Y. 4w185

Hembold's Extract Buchu and Improved Rose wash cure secret and delicate disorders in all their stages, at little expense, little or no change in diet, no inconvenience and no exposure. It is pleasent intaste and odor, immediate in its action, and free from all injurious properties.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The Rev. Edward A. Wilson will send (free of charge) to all who desire it, the prescription with the directions for making and using the simple remedy by which he was cured of a lung affection and that dread disease Consumption. His only object is to benefit the afflicted, and he hopes every sufferer will try this prescription, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Please address Rev. Edwa d A. Wilson, No. 165 South Second Street Williamsburgh, N. Y.

Helmbolds Fluid Extract Buchu is pleasant to the taste and of pure odor, free from all injurious properties, and immediate in its action.

A GENERAL MASSACREE

of the fibres of the head, the whiskers, the mustaches, or the beard, can be easily accomplished by the application of the scorching hair dyes, and when every hair is

KILLED DEAD,

the parties deceived by these nostrums will regret, too late, that they did not use the wonderful and entirely poisonless preparation

IN FIVE MINUTES,

produces a black or brown which is not surpassed by nature's own hue. Be wise in time The only safe and sure article is

CRISTADORO'S HAIR DYE.

Manfactured by J. Cristadoro, 68 Maiden Lane, New, York. Sold by all Druggists. Applied by all Hair Dressers. 4w185

New stock Hoop Skirts at Post's, very cheap.

50 Doz. Rib Cot. Hose just received at Post's Only 15 cts. per pair.

Go to Post's for Blk Silks. They have the best in the city.

INFORMATION.

Information guaranteed to produce a luxuriant growth of hair upon a bald head or beardless face, also a recipe for the removal of Pimples. Blotches, Eruptions, etc., on the skin, leaving the same soft, clear, and beautiful, can be obtained without charge by addressing Thos. F. Chapman, Chemist, 823 Broadway, New York.

H. HESSLEIN & Co. are now receiving their New Stock of Fall Goods. SEE THEM.

SUPERIOR QUALITY
OF THE
AMERICAN WATCH
MADE AT
WALTHAM, MASS.

The American Watch Company, of Waltham, Mass., respectfully submit that their Watches are cheaper, more accurate, less complex, more durable, better adapted for general use, and more easily kept in order and repaired than any other watches in the market. They are simpler in structure, and therefore stronger, and less likely to be injured than the majority of foreign watches, which are composed of from 125 to 300 pieces while in an old English watch there are more than 700 parts. How the best and cheapest watches can have, is shown by the following letter:

PENN RAILROAD COMPANY.
OFFICE OF THE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT
ALTOONA, PA., 15 Dec., 1866.

Gentlemen: The watches manufactured by you have been in use on this railroad for several years by our engineemen, to whom we furnish watches as part of our equipment There are now some three hundred of them carried on our line, and we consider them good and reliable time-keepers. Indeed, I have great satisfaction in saying your watches give us less trouble, and have worn and do wear much long without repairs than any watches we have ever had in use on this road. As you are aware we formerly trusted to those of English manufacture, of acknowledged good reputation; but as a class they never keep time as correctly nor good service, as yours.

In these statements I am sustained by my predecessors Mr. Lewis, whose experience extended over series of years.

Respectfully.
EDWARD A. WILLIAMS.
General Superintendent.

American *Waltham.*

We make now five different grades of watches named respectively as follows:

Appleton, Tracy & Co.,	Waltham, Mass.
Waltham Watch Company,	Waltham Mass.
P. S. Bartlett,	Waltham, Mass.
Wm. Ellery.	Boston Mass.
Home Watch Company,	Boston Mass.

All of these with the exception of the Home Watch Company, are warrented by the Amaican Watch Company to be of the best material on the most approved principle, and to possess every requisite for a reliable time-keeper. Every dealer selling those Watches provided with the Company's printed card of guarantee, which should accompany each Watch sold so that buyers may feel sure that they are purchasing the genuine article. There are numerous counterfeits and imitations of our watches sold throughout the country, and we would caution purchasers to be on their guard against imposition.

Any grades of Waltham Watches may be purchased of Watch Dealers throughout the country.

ROBBINS & APPLETON,
roadway, New York.
183-4w

Hembold's Fluid Extract Buchu

Is a certain cure for diseases of the Bladder, Kidneys, Gravel, Dropsy, Organic Weakness, Female Complaints, General Debility,

And all diseases of the Urinary Organs, whether existing in Male or Female, from whatever cause originating and no matter of how Long standing

Diseases of these organs require the use of a diuretic.

If no treatment is submitted to, Consumption or Insanity may ensue. Our flesh and blood are supported from these sources, and the

HEALTH AND HAPPINESS,

and that of Posterity, depends upon prompt use of a reliable remedy.

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU,

Established upwards of 18 years, prepared by

H. T. HELMBOLD,
Druggist,
194 Broadway, New York, and
104 South 10 Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
Sold by all Druggists.

AYER'S
CHERRY
PECTORAL!

FOR THE RAPID CURE OF

Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Hoarseness Croup, Bronchitis, Incipient Consumption, and for the relief of Consumptive Patients in advanced stages of disease.

SO WIDE IS THE FIELD OF ITS USEfulness and so numerous are its cures, that in almost every section of country are perpsons publicly known, who have been restored by it from alarming and even desperate diseases of the lungs. When once tried its superiority over every other expectorant is too apparant to escape observation, and where its virtues are known, the public no longer hesitate what antidote to employ for the distressing and dangerous affections of the pulmunary organs incident to our climate. While many inferior remedies thrust upon the community have failed and been discarded, this has gained friends by every trial, conferred benefits on the afflicted they can never forget, and produced cures numerous and too remarkable to be forgotten.

We can assure the public, that its quality is carefully kept up to the best ever has been, and that it may be replied on to do for their relief all that it has ever done.

Great numbers of Clergymen, Physicians, Statesmen, and other eminent personages have lent their names to cerify the unpalleled usefulness of our remedies, but space here will not permit the insertion of them. The Agents below named furnish gratis our American Almanac in which are given; with full descriptions of the complaints our remedies cure.

Those who require an alterative medicine to purify the blood will find Ayer's Comp. Ext. Sarsaparilla the one to use. Try it once, and you will concede its value.

Prepared by DR. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowel Mass., and sold by all Druggists and dealers in medicine everywhere. Agents wanted. DR. COX, Agent, Ypsilanti. 180

Take no more unpleasant and unsafe remedies for unpleasant and dangerous diseases. Use Helmbold's Extract Buchu and Improved rose wash.

THE GREAT NEW ENGLAND REMEDY!
DR. J. W. POLAND'S
WHITE PINE COMPOUND.

THE WHITE PINE COMPOUND CURES

Sore Throat, Colds, Coughs, Diphtheria, Bronchitis, Spitting of Blood, and Pulmonary Affections generally. It is a remarkable Remedy for Kidney Complaints, Diabetes, Difficulty of voiding Urine, Bleeding from the Kidneys, Bladder, and Gravel.

"It was early in the spring of 1855 that this Compound was originated. A member of my family was afflicted with an irritation of the throat, attended with a disagreeable cough. I had for some months previous thought that a preparation, having for its basis the inside bark of white pine, might be so compounded as to be very useful in the case of the throat and lungs. To test the value of it in the case alluded to, I compounded a small quantity of the medicine that I had been planning, and gave it in teaspoonful doses. The result was exceedingly gratifying. Within two days the irritation of the throat was removed, the cough subsided, and a speedy cure was effected. Soon after this I sent some to a lady in Londonderry, N. H., who had been suffering for some weeks from a bad cough, occasioned by a sudden cold, and had raised mucus streaked with blood. She soon found relief, and sent for more. She took about ten ounces of it, and got well. J. B. Clark, Esq., editor of the Manchester *Daily Mirror*, made a trial of the same preparation in the case of a severe cold, and was cured immediately. He was so highly pleased with the results, and so confident of success attending its sales if placed before the public, that he finally persuaded me to give it a name and send it abroad to benefit the suffering."

Testimonials.

A very large number of important testimonials have already been received from Physicians, Clergymen, Apothecaries, and, indeed, from all classes in society, speaking in the most flattering terms of the White Pine Compound.

DR. NICHOLS, of Northfield, Vt., says:
"I find the White Pine Compound to be very efficacious not only in coughs and other pulmonic affections but also in affections of the Kidneys, debility of the stomach, and other kindred organs."

Rev. J. K. CHASE, of Rumney, N. H., writes:
"I have for years regarded your White Pine Compound as an invaluable remedy. I can truly say that I regard it as even more efficacious and valuable than ever. I have just taken the Compound for a cold, and it works charmingly!"

From JAMES J. HOYT.
BRADFORD, N. H., September, 1860.

DR. POLAND: In the Fall of 1857 I took a very violent cold, which brought on a very severe cough, pain in the side and lungs, and raising blood. I was also very badly afflicted with that troublesome disease—the Kidney Complaint. For the three years past I have been very much troubled with my throat and lungs, choking up and raising an immense sight, with a bad cough after raising blood. I felt that my time here must be short unless I soon got relief. This Spring, I was induced to try your White Pine Compound, though my faith in it was small. But to my astonishment, before I had taken two bottles my cough was better, the kidney trouble also, and I could rest nights without choking up and raising so much. I have taken nearly three bottles, and am feeling like a well man.

I would add that my father's family is inclined to consumption, my father, mother, and two sisters having died of it.

The White Pine Compound, advertised at length in our columns, is not only as to its name inviting, but is a highly approved medicine. Dr. J. W. Poland, the inventor, has the confidence of the many who know him, a confidence which he enjoyed while laboring usefully many years as a Baptist minister. His experience as a sufferer led him to make experiments which issued in his medical discovery.—Boston Watchman and Reflector.

A VALUABLE MEDICINE.—Dr. Poland's White Pine Compound, advertised in our columns, is a successful attempt to combine and apply the medicinal virtues of the White Pine bark. It has been thoroughly tested by people in this city and vicinity, and the proprietor has testimonials to its value from persons well known to our citizens. We recommend its trial in all those cases of disease to which it is adapted. It is for sale by all our druggists.—New York Independent.

The White Pine Compound

Is manufactured at the NEW ENGLAND BOTANIC DEPOT, 106 Hanover Street, Boston.
GEORGE W. SWETT, M. D., Proprietor.
H. VAN TUYL, Congress Street, Ypsilanti.

HALL'S
Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer

Has stood the test of seven years trial by the public; and no preparation for the hair yet discovered will produce the same beneficial results. It is a new scientific discovery, combining the most powerful and restorative agents in the VEGETABLE KINGDOM. *It restores* GRAY HAIR TO ITS ORIGINAL YOUTHFUL COLOR. *It makes the scalp white and clean; cures dandruff and humors, and* falling out of the hair; *and will make it grow upon bald heads, except in very aged persons, as it furnishes the nutritive principle by which the hair is nourished and supported. It makes the hair moist, soft, and glossy, and is unsurpassed as a* HAIR DRESSING. *It is the cheapest preparation ever offered to the public, as one bottle will accomplish more and last longer than three bottles of any other preparation.*

It is recommended and used by the First Medical Authority.

The wonderful results produced by our Sicilian Hair Renewer have induced many to manufacture preparations for the Hair, under various names; and in order to induce the trade and the public to purchase their compounds, they have resorted to falsehoods, by claiming they were former partners, or had some connection with our Mr. Hall, and their preparation was similar to ours. Do not be deceived by them! Purchase the original: it has never been equalled. Our Treatise on the Hair, with certificates, sent free by mail. See that each bottle has our private Revenue Stamp over the top of the bottle. All others are imitations.

R. P. Hall & Co., Prop's, Nashua, N. H.
Sold by all Druggists and Dealers in Medicine

SUGARS,

FOOTE'S

are the cheapest in town.

COFFEES,

FOOTE'S

has by far the best and cheapest in the city.

HOLMES & JENNESS' COLUMN.

HOLMES & JENNESS
INSURANCE AGENTS
FOR
Fire, Life & Accident
COMPANIES,
Capital Represented.
$25,000,000.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

TERMS OF SALE.

ALL persons leaving Real Estate with us for sale, will be charged a fee of $25,00 when the same is sold, no matter through what immediate influence the sale is made. All conveyance of such made at our office free of charge. When property is withdrawn from market, advertising charges must be paid.

196
80 acres of land in Ottawa County. Good timber and well watered.
199
80 acres, two miles west of Oakville. Good orchard, house and barn.
200
House and lot on Oak street. Fine residence.
201
House and lot on west side, Adams street.
202
570 acres of land, one-half timber, a large brick house, with barns and out-houses in Missouri.
203
House and lot on Summit street, near the Normal.
204
Farm of 111 acres, one-half mile west of Ypsilanti city.
205
Farm, 125 acres three miles west of Ypsilanti.
206
Fine brick residence on Adams street. Terms easy.
186
40 acres in Mecos a County, Pine Land, cheap.
187
House and 2 Lots corner Forest Avenue and Hamilton streets. Very desirable to improve, $1,500.
188
Lot of land in Lake Forest, 2 1-2 acres, near Chicago. Suitable for a country residence. Fine grove on it; will exchange for city property.
189
Lot and gothic house on Forest avenue. Very desirable for a small family, near the Schools, $2,500.
190
House and Lot East side river, near depot, $1,500,
191
Farm, 100 acres, 5 miles south of Ypsilanti. Good orchard, splendid barns, fair house, 15 acres timber. For sale cheap.
193
Lots 13 and 14 Davis' addition. Small house and barn, for sale cheap.
194
House and lot with good barn; Hamilton street. Very desirable for a small family.—Good neighborhood. For sale at a bargain.
139
Lot and Gothic house on Forest Avenue, south side.
182
House and lot on the west side of Washington street. New brick house.
183
House and lot on Huron street. Low price.
184
52 acres of land, 1½ miles east of the city, on Chicago road, 15 acres of timber.
185
Farm in the town of Exeter, Monroe Co., 4 miles east of Oakville, 90 acres, 60 improved.
179
54 acres of land in the South west part of the city.
180
A fine gothic residence, with 10 acres of land and choice fruit, on Forrest avenue.
181
House and lot on corner of Ellis and Hamilton streets.
173
8 1-3 acres, west part overlooking the whole city. Street on two sides—very desirable—cheap.
168
First class brick house and Barn, Washington st., near to business. A great bargain.
169
A fine residence on Forest avenue, just out of the city limits, 10 acres of choice land, covered with fruit. Very cheap.
160
House and 3 lots on Pearl st. Very desirable for a business man, and cheap.
148
2 Vacant lots with 3 acres of land adjoining on Summit Street.
151
A fine residence on the corner of River and Congress Street.
152
House and Lot on West side of Normal Street.
154
House and Lot on Congress Street, south side.
155
Farm of 110 acres one mile west of the city line.
158
Fine farm of 190, 50 or 140 acres one mile east of the city, good buildings.
119
House and two lots on Mill St., north side.
120
Lot with Brick house on Washington St.
122
Farm of 126 acres 2 1-2 miles south of Ypsilanti.
125
House and lot on Huron St., will be sold cheap.
123
3 city lots corner of Emmett and Ballard street.
137
A fine residence on Huron street, opposite the Episcopal Church.
135
A fine residence on corner of Congress and Normal streets. Brick house and three acres of land, with an abundance of fruit.
138
House and 2 lots on the east side of River street. Fine location.
145
10 acres of land within the city limits, on the east side of the river.
137
A fine residence on Huron street, opposite the Episcopal Church.
161
A fine gothic residence on Forest Avenue with 4 acres of land.
163
House and lot corner of Washington and Buffalo Sts.
164
House and lot on north side of Congress St. east side of River.
165
A fine residence on the west side of Huron Street south of Congress street.
166
Farm of 90 acres 1 mile west of the Free Church in town of Superior.
167
Farm of 93 acres 3 miles south of Ypsilanti 20 acres good timber.

HOLMES & JENNESS,
Huron St. Ypsilanti.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD

1867. 1867.

ON and after Monday, May13th, 1867, Passenger trains willl run as follows;

TRAINS WESTWARD

	Mail	Day Exp	Ev'g. Exp	Night Exp	Dex. Acc
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M,	P.M.	P.M
Detroit, l've,	6:00	9:40	5:35	10:30	4:25
Wayne,	6.55	——	6;30	——	5:20
Ypsilanti,	7:25	10:55	7:00	11:50	5:55
				A.M.	
Ann Arbor.	7;55	11:17	7;25	12;10	6:20
Dexter,	8:25	11;40	7;52	——	6:50
Chelsea,	8:45	——	8;10	12:57	——
		P. M.			
Jackson,	9:45	12:45	9;10	1;50	——
	P.M.	P.M.	A M.	A. M.	
Chicago, Arr.	7;10	9.00	6;30	11:00	——

Dexter Accommodation.—To Dexter Daily except Sundays.

TRAINS EASTWARD.

	Mail	Day Exp	Ev'g. Exp	Night Exp	Dex. Acc·
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M	
Chicago, l've,	9:30	7:00	4;15	9;40	——
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
Jackson,	6;40	3;05	12:15	6;50	——
Chelsea,	7;33	——	——	7;40	——
					A. M.
Dexter,	7:52	——	——	7;57	5:55
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Wayne,	9:15	——	——	——	7:25
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AGRICULTURAL

(*Continued from last week.*)

REPORT of Special Committee, to whom was referred the memorial of T. T. Lyon and Sanford Howard, relative to the preservation of forest trees.

To the Honorable, the Legislature of the State of Michigan:

If you call the winds from the SW. W. and N. W. the westerly winds, and those from NE. E. and S. E. the easterly winds, from observations taken three times a day, viz: at 7 A. M., 2 P. M., and 9 P. M., we find that in 1863 every 11.2 easterly winds gave one inch rain; and every 70.1 westerly winds gave one inch of rain; in 1864, every 12 easterly and 66½ westerly winds gave one inch rain.

In 1865—every 14½ easterly, and every 60½ westerly winds gave I inch rain.

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Or, on the average, over 12.4 observations of winds from the east, gave 1 inch rain, and every 57.3 observations of westerly winds gave 1 inch rain. The observations are taken thrice daily.

Investigations designed to determing the relation of evaporation to precipiation in this latitude, have developed some startling facts. Observations for this purpose were made at the Agricultural College, for the years 1665, and 1866, from March to November of each year. The observations were made by exposing a vessel with vertical sides, so as to expose the same surface to evaporation and precipiations. This vessel was exposed to the open ground, away from buildings and trees. In this vessel was placed water to the depth of one inch, and whenever it approached dryness, an inch additional of water was placed in the vessel, or if it was like to overflow an inch in depth was removed. As rain would fall into this dish, as well as water evaporate out of it, the difference between the water added and that taken out would give the difference between evaporation and pricipitation. In the year 1865, during the eight months, from March 15th to Nov. 14th, the evaporation exceeded the rain-fall by 6½ inches, or the rainfall for 8 months was 25.35 inches, while evaporation was 30.85.

In 1866 the rainfall for the corres ponding 8 months was 29.78 inches, while the evaporation for the same time exceeded this by 2½ inches or a total evaporation of 32.03 inches. It will be understood that in these observation the evaporation took place from a saturated suface, and consequently greatly exceeded he evaporation which takes place from the surface of the ground which seldom saturated with water during the growing months.

Since the above was written one member of your committee received from I. A Lapham, LL. D., of Milwaukee, an account of similar investigations made at Milwaukee, and extending through five years. Dr. Lapham made his investigations by exposing a basin of water in the open air, and measuring the amount of evaporation by the means of a micrometer screw turned down every morning until the point of the screw touched the surface of the water. His observations are given for the year by months, but as the observations at the Agricultural College where taken only from March 15 to Nov. 14 for each year, one-half of Dr Lapham's observations for March and November both of the evaporation and rainfall will be taken, which will give an approximation of true result. We find that the average rain for this peroid for five years at Milwaukee is 23.61 32.58 inches, or the evaporation exceeds the precipation by 8.76 inches, while at the Agricultural College the average excess of evaporation is only 4.37 inches. In other words the excess of evaporation over precipitation for 8 months at Milwaukee surpasses that at Lansing by 4. 60 inches.

Undoubtedly the relations of evaporation to precipations will be found to vary in different parts of our State The noble inland seas which clasp our borders must have a large control over the meteorology of their shores. Notwithstanding this control, the tendency to excess of evaporation over precipitation in this latitude shows that any process which will increase this tendency should be viewed with alarm. Even with the present large extent of the surface of our state covered with forest, the evaporation is found to be in excess of precipitation. Will not the further destruction of our forests tend to increase still more this disparity? May not the excess of evaporation over precipitation in Wisconsin be accounted for by her limited forests and extended prairie surface.

Forests growths are regarded by many of our ablest physicists as exerting a marked influence over the amount of rainfall in such a region. The fact that all countries abundantly clothed with forests are also well supplied with rain, and the rain is equally distributed through the season of vege table growth, would naturally lead to the conclusion that forest growths have some agency in determining this rainfall. Others have claimed that the equable rainfall was the effect of other causes, and that the abundant forest growth was *effect* of the abundance and disturbution of the rain, and the *dermining* cause of rain. But whichever we may place as antecedent, or consequent, we find that abundant rain is associated with large forest growths, and if these forest growths are extensively removed, the rains diminish, or become capricious, droughs and floods alterating, while in regions destitute of all vegitable growth, rain is unknown, as in the strong lines of the poet, quoted by Marsh:

"Afric's barren sand,
Where naught can grow because it raineth not,
And where no rain can fall to bless the land
Because, naught grows there,"

(*To be continued.*)

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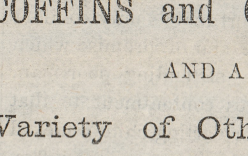

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Ypsilanti, June 29th, 1867. 176

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MORTGAGE SALE

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed by William Crosby to David B. Ellis bearing date March 10th, 1862, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Washtenaw, Michigan, on the 21st day of March, A. D., 1862, in Liber 29 of mortgages, on page 106, and duly assigned to Laurens Stearns, on the 29th day of November, 1862, which assignment was recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds in Liber one of Assignments of Mortgages, on page 455, which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of a part of the purchase money of the land therein described, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of three hundred and forty-five dollars and eighty-three one hundreth dollars, and the sum of thirty-five dollars as a reasonable attorney fee provided in said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law or in chancery having been instituted to recover the debt thereof.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a power of sale, in said mortgage contained, and of the statute in such cases made and provided on Tuesday, the 7th day of January, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the South door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan, (that being the building for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in said State) there will be sold at public auction, the premises described in said morrgage, to satisfy the amount due thereon, with interest and the cost and expenses, and the Attorney fee of thirty-five dollars, as provided in said mortgage. The East half of the South East quarter of section eight, in town four, south of range six East, in the State of Michigan, excepting and reserving therefrom twenty acres off of the North end thereof, and thirty acres off of the South end thereof, being in the Township of York, in said County, in said State.

LAURENS STEARNS,
Assignee of said Mortgage.
CUTCHEON & ALLEN,
Attorneys for Assignee.
September 20th, 1867. 186

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN the conditions of a certain mortgage dated January 1st, 1856, executed by George Castner, of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, to John W. Vancleve, of the same place, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washtenaw County, January seventh, 1858, at 10½ o'clock, a. m., in Liber 24 of mortgages, on page 233; which mortgage was assigned by John W. Vancleve to James H. Cocker, by assignment dated September third, 1867, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds for Washtenaw County, in Liber one of assignments of mortgages, page 449, September 7, 1867, at 10 o'clock a. m., upon which mortgage is claimed to be due at this date one hundred and sixty-eight dollars, and no proceedings at law or in Chancery having been instituted to recover the same.

Notice is therefore hereby given, that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises therein described, to-wit: "Village lot number four hundred and eighty-three, (483) in Larzelere and Post's addition to the Village of Ypsilanti, according to the plat of said addition on record in the Register's Office for said Washtenaw County," at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the South door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, in said Washtenaw County, Michigan, on the eleventh day of December next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

D. B. GREENE, JAMES H. COCKER.
Attorney. Assignee.
Dated Ypsilanti, Sept. 11, 1867. 185

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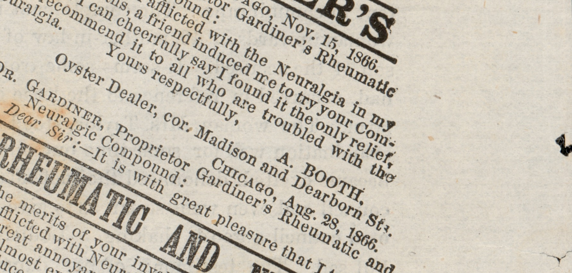

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